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Case No. <u>7780/18</u> (T00349)

PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To the Assistant Commissioner for Patents:									
Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: ROBERT J. MENENDEZ for: SYSTEM FOR MONITORING A SERVIC									
VEHICLE. Enclosed are:									
	1 sheet(s) of drawings, 17 pages of application (including title page), and the following Appendices: Combined form Declaration and Power of Attorney. Verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27. Assignment transmittal letter and Assignment of the invention to: Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449 with eight references. Other:								10997 U.S.M. PTO
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Title: SYSTEM FOR MONITORING A

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97-1.98, Applicant would like to call the Examiner's attention to the references listed on the enclosed form PTO-1449. Copies of these references are also enclosed.

Applicant believes that none of the listed references, alone or in combination disclose or suggest Applicant's claimed invention.

Dated: OCTOBER 25, 2001

Respectfully submitted,

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